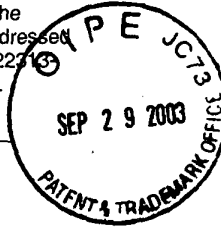


I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner of Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on September 26, 2003 by Frank Kozak, (Reg. No. 32,908).

  
Signature



PATENT  
Case No. N0169US

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

|  |   |           |
|--|---|-----------|
| In re Application of:                  | ) |           |
|  | ) |           |
| Weiland et al.                         | ) |           |
|  | ) | Group:    |
| Serial No.: 10/620,732                 | ) |           |
|  | ) |           |
| Filed: July 16, 2003                   | ) | Examiner: |
|  | ) |           |
| For: Method of Representing Road Lanes | ) |           |

**INFORMATION  
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and in conformance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97-1.99, Applicant discloses the reference(s) listed on the attached form PTO-1449 for consideration by the Examiner.

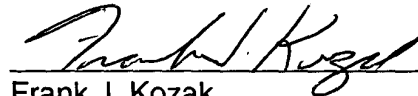
Applicant requests that the Examiner review the entire disclosure of each listed reference. The Examiner is requested to acknowledge consideration of the reference(s) by initialing the appropriate location(s) on the form PTO-1449 enclosed herewith.

The present application was filed after June 30, 2003. Accordingly, copies of each U.S. patent and each U.S. patent application publication, cited herein, are not included, as permitted by the notice in the Official Gazette dated August 5, 2003.

Applicant submits that the claimed subject matter of the present application defines over the cited prior art.

Applicant does not represent any cited reference to be prior art and Applicant reserves the right to disqualify any reference by the showing of an earlier date of invention, if appropriate.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Frank J. Kozak", written over a horizontal line.

Frank J. Kozak  
Reg. No. 32,908  
Attorney for Applicant

NAVIGATION TECHNOLOGIES CORPORATION  
222 Merchandise Mart Plaza, Suite 900  
Chicago, Illinois 60654  
(312) 894-7000



|   |                              |                  |
|---|------------------------------|------------------|
| FORM PTO-1449   | SERIAL NO. 10/620,732        | CASE NO. N0169US |
| LIST OF PATENTS AND PUBLICATIONS FOR APPLICANT'S INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT | FILING DATE 07/16/2003       | GROUP ART UNIT   |
| (use several sheets if necessary)   | APPLICANT(S): Weiland et al. |                  |

## REFERENCE DESIGNATION

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

| EXAMINER INITIAL |    | DOCUMENT NUMBER | DATE    | NAME           | CLASS/ SUBCLASS | FILING DATE |
|------------------|----|-----------------|---------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|
|                  | A1 | 6,624,782       | 09/2003 | Jocoy et al.   | 342/70          |             |
|                  | A2 | 6,510,382       | 01/2003 | Wilson         | 701/208         |             |
|                  | A3 | USSN 10/918,668 | 7/2002  | Painter et al. | N/A             |             |
|                  | A4 | US2002/0013659  | 01/2002 | Kusama         | 701/211         |             |
|                  | A5 | 6,292,752       | 09/2001 | Franke et al.  | 701/300         |             |

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

| EXAMINER INITIAL |    | DOCUMENT NUMBER | DATE     | COUNTRY | CLASS/ SUBCLASS | TRANSLATION YES NO |
|------------------|----|-----------------|----------|---------|-----------------|--------------------|
|                  | A6 | EP1096229       | May 2001 | Europe  | G01C 21/26      | x                  |

| EXAMINER INITIAL | OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.) |   |
|------------------|--|---|
|                  | A7   | Web pages, NEC Research Index ( <a href="http://citeseer.nj.nec.com">http://citeseer.nj.nec.com</a> ) paper entitled "Mining GPS Data to Augment Road Models", (1999) Rogers et al., 21 pages |

|          |                 |
|----------|-----------------|
| EXAMINER | DATE CONSIDERED |
|----------|-----------------|

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.